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For: Assay Device With Timer Function

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above identified application.

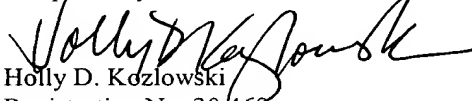
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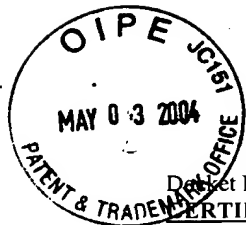
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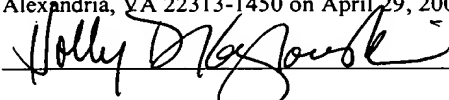


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AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated January 29, 2004, please amend the present application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are set forth in the Listing of Claims beginning on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.